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SUBJECT

Shipments of Caustic Soda and Sheet Metal to

Rostock Contemplated by Swiss Traders

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Early in August 1951 one Adolf Bischofberger of Sihlstrasse 95, Zürich, requested information on the freight charges which would apply to a shipment of 1,000 metric tons of caustic soda from Chiasso, on the Italian border of Switzerland, to Antwerp or Rotterdam, for further transport to Rostock.

In mid-August 1951 one Charles Hoehn, Postfach 674, Zürich 22, requested information on the freight charges which would apply to a shipment of 850 metric tons of metal sheets, f.o.b. Antwerp to c.i.f. Rostock. The shipment would be made between 15 August and 15 September 1951. The type of metal was not specified, but the sheets were described as being from 10 to 100 mm. thick, 160 to 200 cm. wide, and 350 to 640 cm. long.

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